



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D C 20463

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RE: MUR 5268

Dear Mr. Johnson:

During the normal course of its supervisory activities, the Federal Election Commission considered information suggesting that your clients, Jerry Landers and Dan Forbis, may have violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, regarding their political activities for the Kentucky State District Council of Carpenters. The Commission has determined to take no action against them and closed the file as it pertains to them. Nevertheless, in conducting their future activities, they should be reminded that, with few exceptions, 2 U.S.C. 441b prohibits the use of union funds or resources to make expenditures or contributions for the purpose of influencing federal elections.

The Commission reminds you and your clients that the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A) remain in effect, and that this matter is still open with respect to other respondents. The Commission will notify you when the entire file has been closed, at which time you will be sent a copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ann Marie Terzaken".

Ann Marie Terzaken
Assistant General Counsel